

inbefore set forth shall be in full and in lieu of all other taxes upon the property and franchises so taxed.

The lands acquired by public grant shall be and remain exempt from taxation until sold or contracted to be sold or conveyed as provided in the respective acts whereby such grants were made or recognized.

Sec. 2. This act shall be submitted to the people of this state for their approval or rejection at the next general election for the year 1920. The secretary of state shall cause to be printed in bold type upon the ballot used in voting for state officers or upon a separate ballot, if so provided by law at said election, in manner conformable with the requirements of the general election law, the words:

"Shall chapter (insert number), Laws of Minnesota for 1919, amending section 2226, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, so as to make real property used for railway purposes subject to assessments, be adopted and ratified?

Yes....."

No....."

And each voter voting at such election shall designate his vote by a cross mark made opposite one or the other of the words "Yes" or "No", and said elector shall in all respects conform as far as may be to the requirements of the general election law, and the returns of said election shall be made, canvassed and certified and the results thereof declared in the manner provided by law for returning, certifying and canvassing votes cast for state officers.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 21, 1919.

#### RESOLUTION NO. 1.

*Joint resolution ratifying a proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States of America.*

WHEREAS, both houses of the sixty-fifth congress of the United States of America, by a constitutional majority of two-thirds thereof, made the following proposition to amend the constitution of the United States of America, in the following words, to-wit:

#### JOINT RESOLUTION.

Proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States.

1. RESOLVED by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled (two-thirds of each house concurring therein), that the following amendment to the constitution be, and hereby is, proposed to the states, to become valid as a part of the constitution when ratified by the legislatures of the several states as provided by the constitution:

## ARTICLE.

Section 1. After one year from the ratification of this article the manufacture, sale, or transportation of intoxicating liquors within, the importation thereof into, or the exportation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes is hereby prohibited.

Sec. 2. The congress and the several states shall have concurrent power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

Sec. 3. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the constitution by the legislatures of the several states, as provided in the constitution, within seven years from the date of the submission hereof to the states by the congress.

THEREFOR, BE IT RESOLVED, by the legislature of the state of Minnesota:

Section 1. That the said proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States of America be, and the same is hereby ratified by the legislature of the state of Minnesota.

Sec. 2. That certified copies of this preamble and joint resolution be forwarded by the governor of this state to the secretary of state at Washington, to the presiding officer of the United States senate, and to the speaker of the house of representatives of the United States.

Approved January 22, 1919.

## RESOLUTION NO. 2.

*An act relating to a concurrent resolution.*

To the United States Senate:

WHEREAS, nearly a half century ago the progressive spirit of American democracy decreed in the federal constitution that the rights of citizens of the United States to vote should not be denied by any state on account of race or color, and

WHEREAS, more than a half of the citizens of voting age of more than two-thirds of the states of our nation are denied the right to vote solely because they are women,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the house of representatives of the state of Minnesota, the senate concurring, that we earnestly and urgently petition your honorable body to join with the house of representatives in its action in proposing an amendment to the federal constitution, providing that the right of any woman to vote shall not be denied by any state solely because she is a woman.

That a copy of this resolution with the names of those who vote for the same be forwarded to the president of the senate and to each senator and representative from Minnesota.

Approved January 24, 1919.